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Richard Manus Bureau of Land Management 125 South 6 West Price, Utah 84501

Janette S. Kaiser, Forest Supervisor U.S. Forest Service Manti-La Sal National Forest 599 West Price River Road Price, Utah 84501

Re:

Addition of Wild Horse Ridge Leases to Bear Canyon Mine, Co-Op Mining Company, Bear Canyon Mine, ACT/015/025-SR98-1, Folder #2, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Ms. Kaiser and Messrs. Manus & Singh:

The Division has received a proposal by Co-Op Mining Company to add two Federal Leases and an additional fee lease (Wild Horse Ridge Addition) to their permit for the Bear Canyon Mine. We have determined the application to be administratively complete and are forwarding copies of the revised plans to you for your review. We anticipate completing our review of this significant revision by January 3, 2000. Could you please provide your comments/concurrence on this permitting action by that date.

If you have any questions on this plan change, please call me (801) 538-5325 or Sharon Falvey at (801) 538-5260.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock Permit Supervisor

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Enclosure

Mark Page, Water Rights, w/o Dave Ariotti, DEQ, w/o Bill Bates, DWR, w/o David Terry, SITLA, w/o Price Field Office

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